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PATENT Attorney Docket No. 210484

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of:

Daems et al.

Art Unit: 1756 Application No. 09/832,660

Examiner: Kripa Sagar

Filed: April 11, 2001

For: METHOD FOR ON-SITE PREPARATION OF A RELIEF IMAGE

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 25, 2002, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks. This response is timely since it is accompanied by a petition and fee for a two-month extension of time for filing a response pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

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AMENDMENTS

IN THE CLAIMS:

Replace the indicated claim with:

20. Method for on-site preparation of a relief image comprising the following steps:

- (a) laminating a material comprising, in the order given, a first peelable support, an image recording layer and an adhesive layer onto a UV-sensitive material comprising a support and a UV-sensitive layer, wherein the adhesive layer is laminated to the UV-sensitive layer;
 - (b) image-wise exposing the image recording layer to form a mask;
 - (c) flood exposing the UV-sensitive material through the mask;
 - (d) developing the UV-sensitive material;